

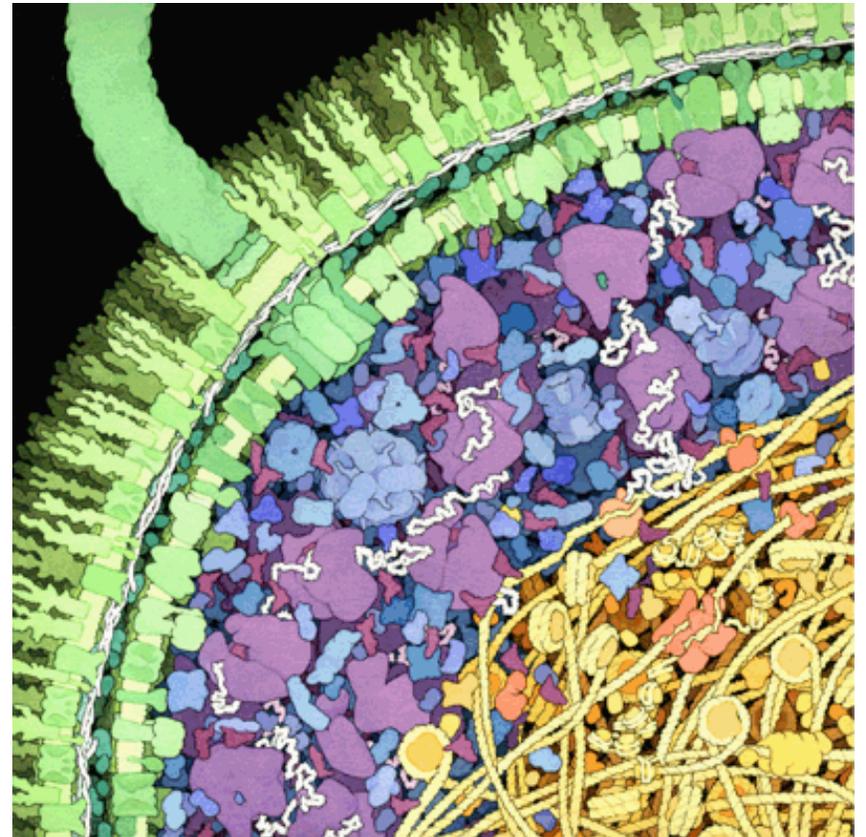


KBASE
predictive biology

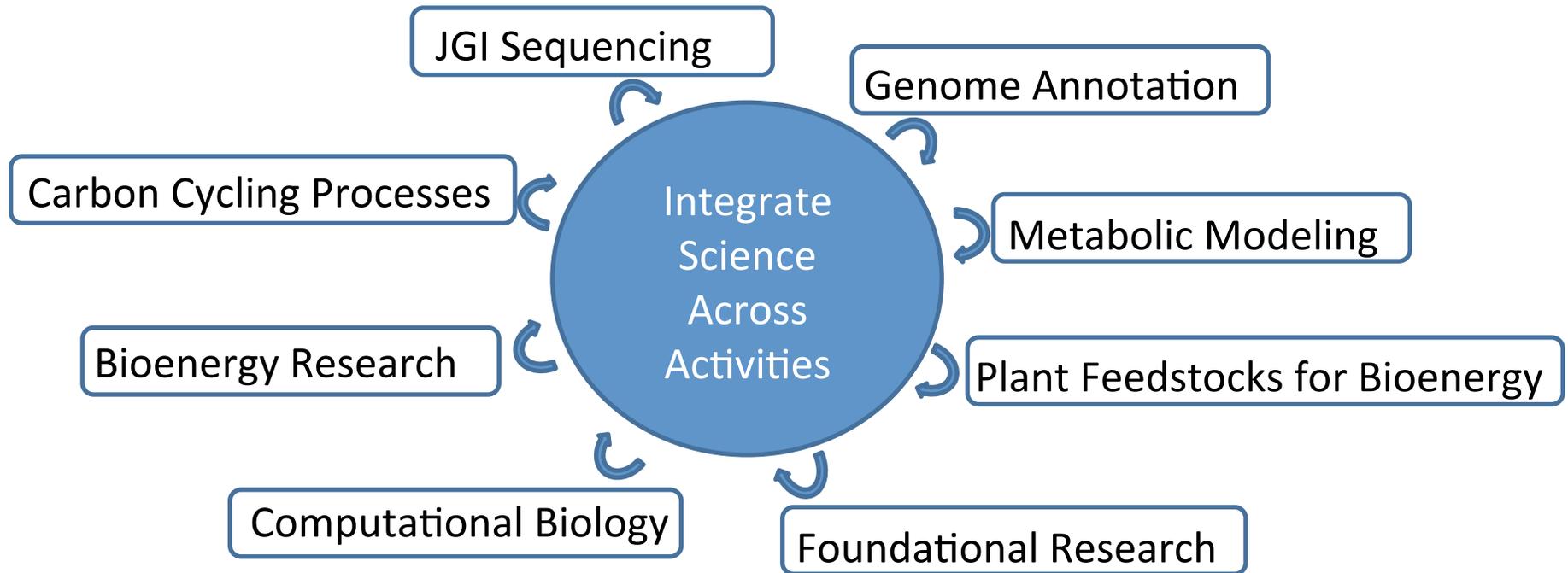
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Building the Systems Biology Knowledgebase

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Integrate science and the science community



There is a tremendous wealth of data and information in the Genomic Sciences program. The [Knowledgebase \(Kbase\)](#) is an opportunity to integrate this data and information both within individual activities as well as to integrate together different activities.

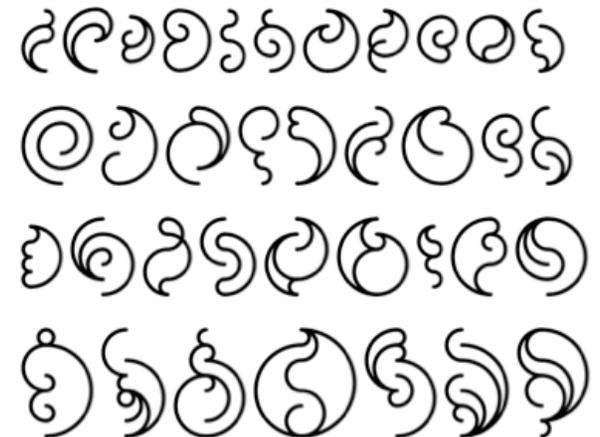
Everyone should be a contributor!

KBASE:

- A. Professional Computational Biologists
- B. Data generators and basic analysts
- C. Knowledge Seekers
- D. Knowledge Generators

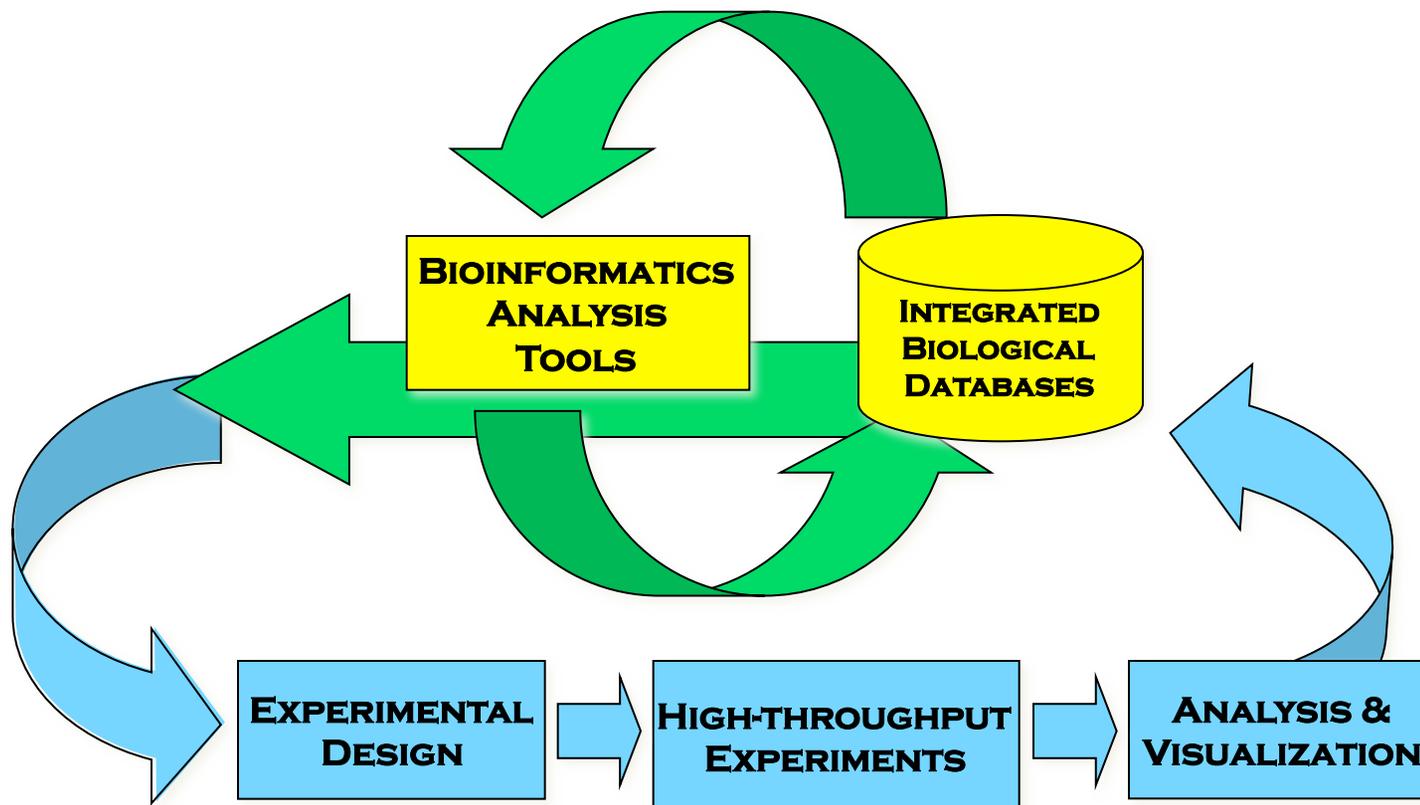
Therefore we aim to:

- Create a powerful framework for programmatic access to data and functions of Kbase. (Users A,B)
 - Ultimately provide stubs for use in PERL, PYTHON, R, MATLAB, Galaxy, etc.
- Create a set of packaged “Widgets” that make placement and recognizable display of Kbase “functions” on web pages (or within perhaps other apps), easy and identifiable. (Users B)
- Create a “simplified” portal for search and aggregation of data for data consumers and Knowledge Seekers. (Users C,D)
- *Create a innovative platform for knowledge creation, evolution and sharing.*

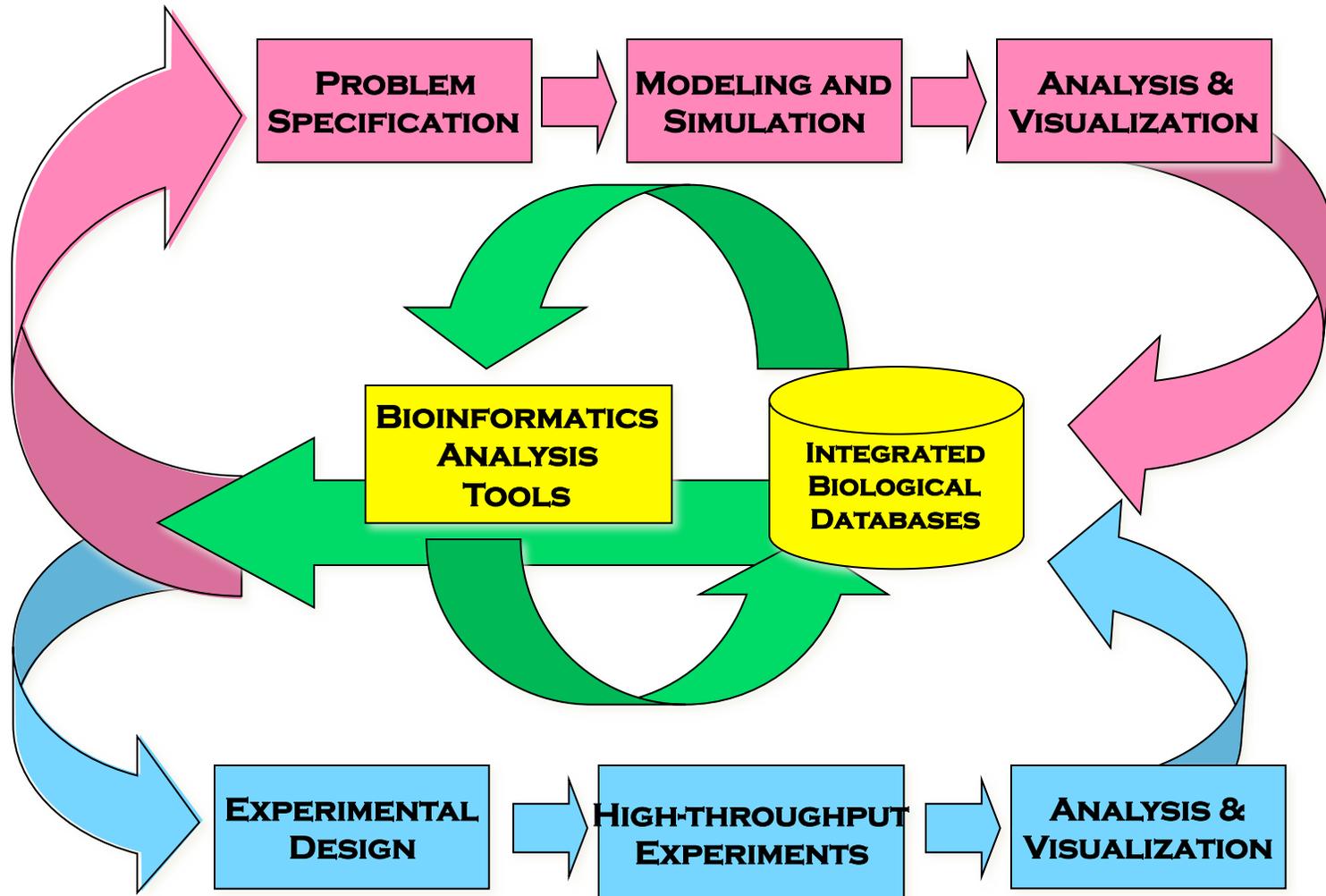


instances of “minimum inventory/maximum diversity” systems, a term coined by Peter Pearce in his book, *Structure in Nature Is a Strategy for Design* (MIT Press, 1978).

An Integrated View of Modeling, Simulation, Experiment, and Bioinformatics



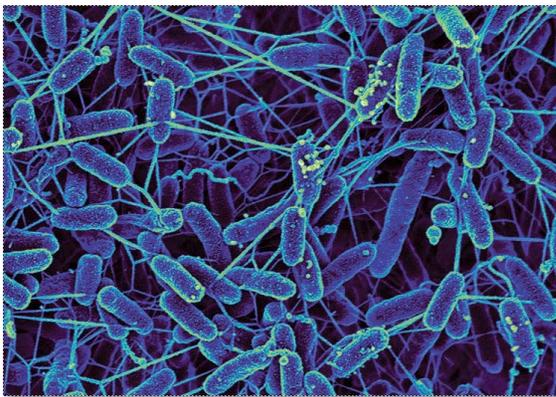
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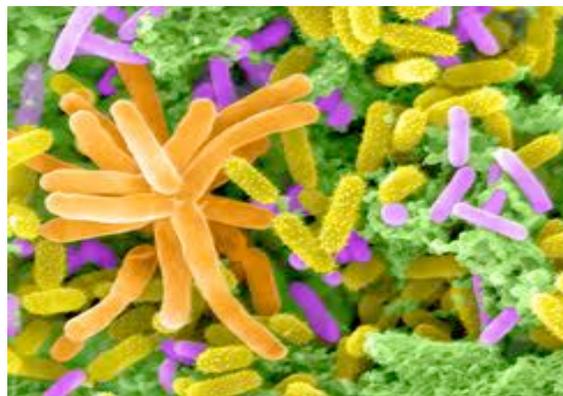
Systems Biology Knowledge

Knowledgebase enabling *predictive* systems biology.

- Powerful modeling framework.
- **Community-driven**, extensible and scalable **open-source** software and application system.
- Infrastructure for integration and reconciliation of algorithms and data sources.
- Framework for standardization, search, and association of data.
- Enable model based **experimental design** and **interpretation** of results.



Microbes



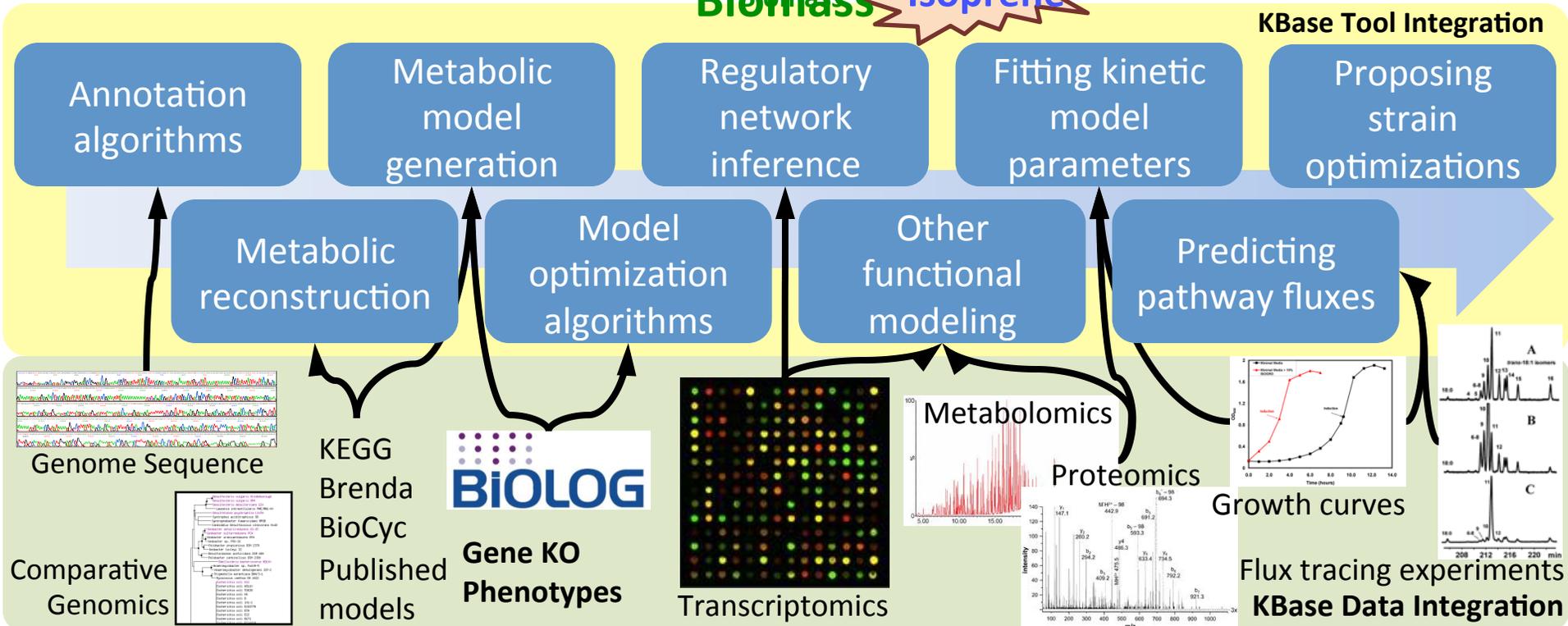
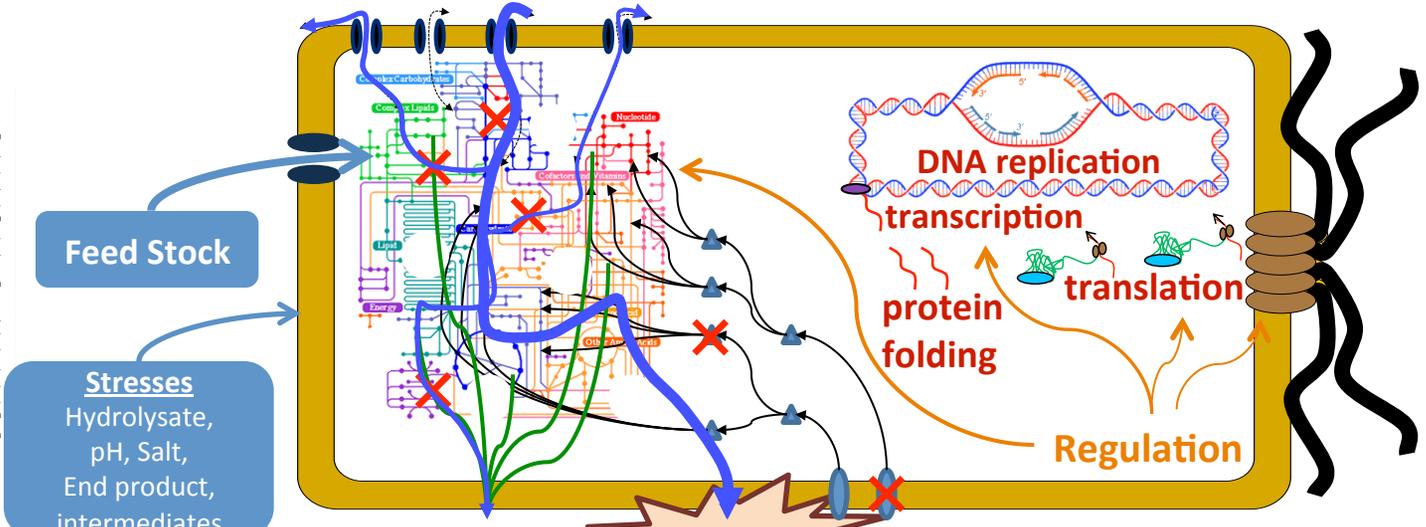
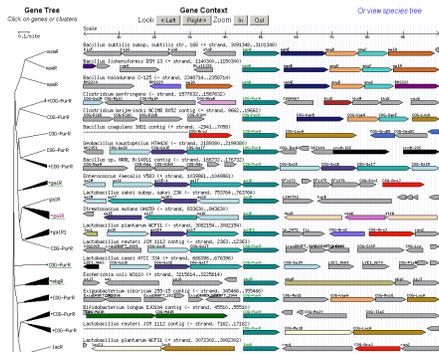
Communities



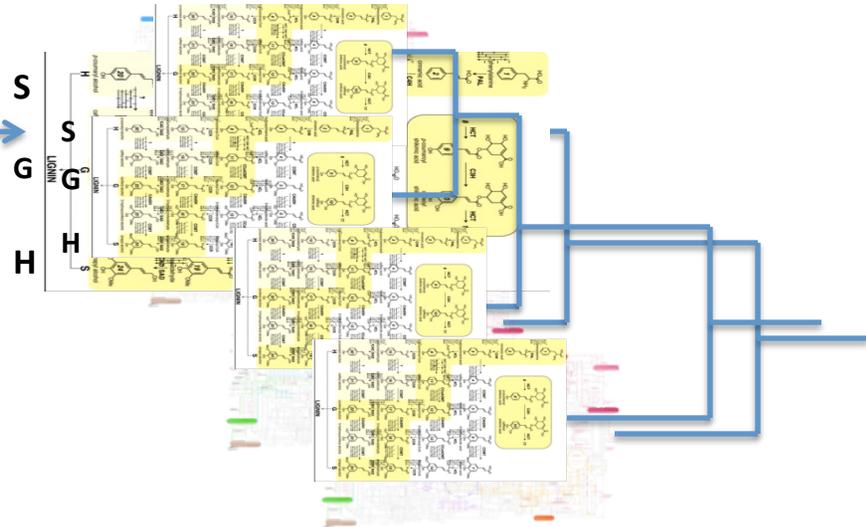
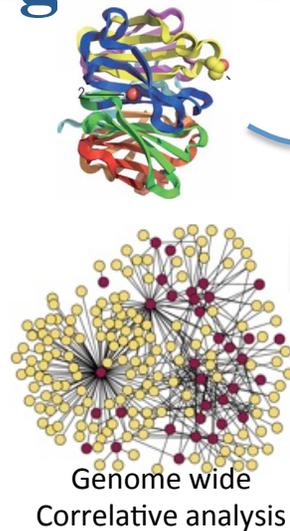
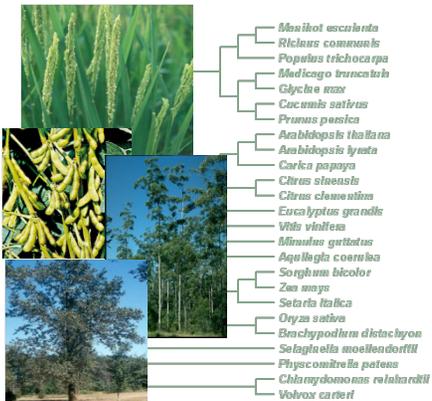
Plants

Engineering a Microbe for Biofuel Production

Annotated Genome



Modifying Lignin Biosynthesis



SNPs3D

PolyPhen-2

SNP influenced changes in protein structure and function

Pathway predictions

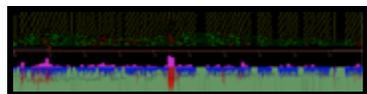
- Model optimization
- validation

Plant systems modification

- Genome annotation algorithms
- Comparative genomics

- Network inference
- Pathway reconstruction
- Omics & SNP overlay

Phylogenomics Modeling phase I



phytozome

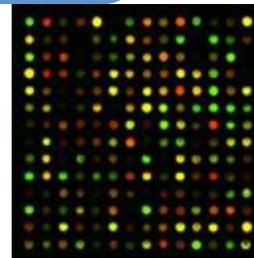


Phenotype
Mutant
population

Resequencing data

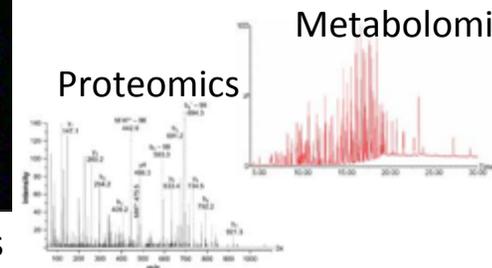


jbei
Joint BioEnergy Institute



Transcriptomics

Proteomics



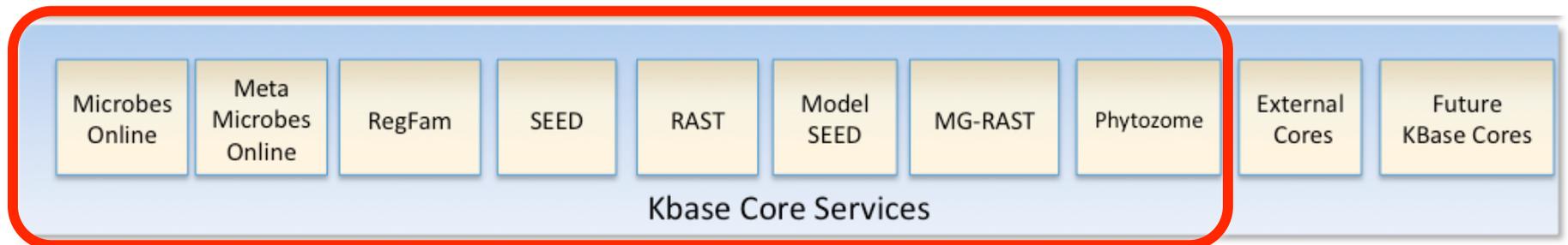
Metabolomics

What the KBase Needs To Provide?

- Scalable compute and data capabilities beyond that available locally
- Distributed infrastructure available 24x7 worldwide
- Integration with local bioinfo systems for seamless computing and data management
- Enables leverage of remote systems administration and support via service providers
- Enables access to state of the art facilities at fraction of the cost (SPs just add more servers)
- Centralized support of tools and data
- Bottom line \Rightarrow enable biologists to focus on biology

Leverage Existing Investments

- We leverage the considerable investments in existing integrated databases and analysis environments
- Key challenge: How we build on these systems yet provide to the community an integrated view for future development

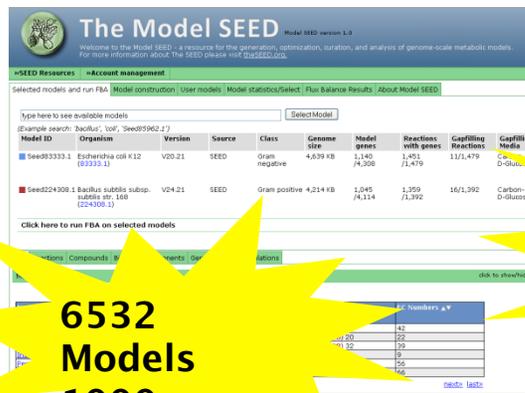


Microbes Online



1000s Data Sets
300+ Daily Users

Model SEED



6532 Models
1000+ Users

MG-RAST



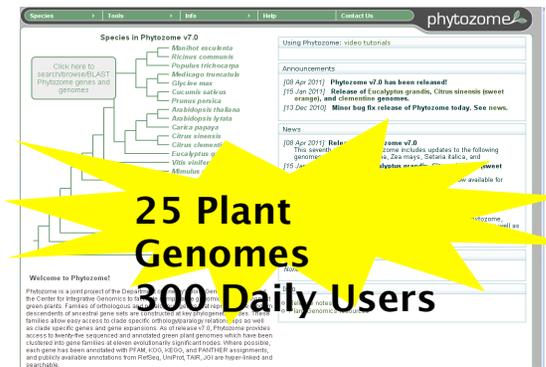
41,000 Metagenomes
500+ Daily Users

Meta Microbes Online



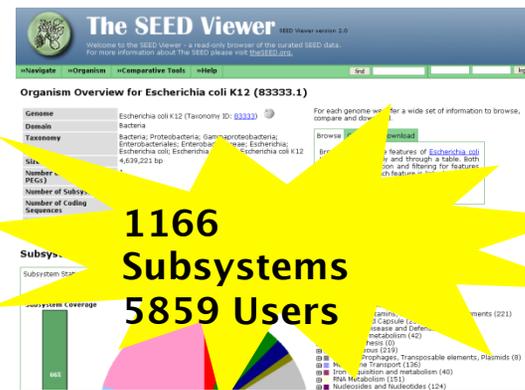
153 Metagenomes
100+ Daily Users

Phytozome



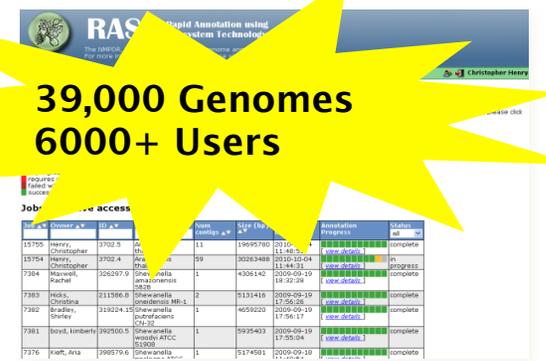
25 Plant Genomes
300 Daily Users

The SEED



1166 Subsystems
5859 Users

RAST

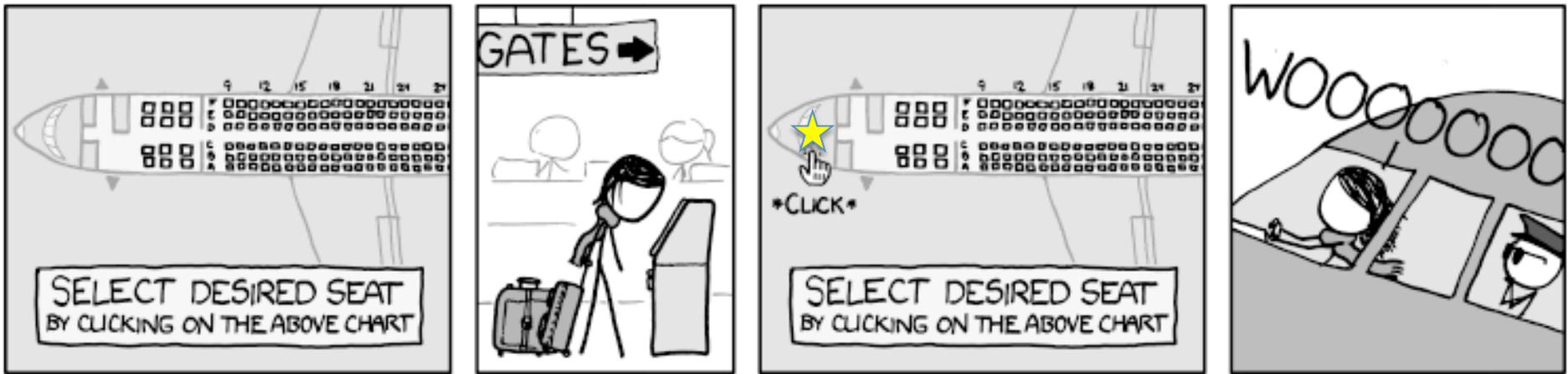


39,000 Genomes
6000+ Users

RegFam



1000s Papers
100+ Daily Users



Our vision is to put users in the drivers seat.



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KBASE

Data and modeling for
predictive biology

Overview of Infrastructure

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Oak Ridge and Argonne
National Laboratories



U.S. DEPARTMENT OF
ENERGY

Office of
Science



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Working As One Team



Communities Hackathon
Jan 2012, LBL



Plant CDM Design
and Build
Jan 2012, ORNL

First Internal Kbase Build – Feb 2012, ANL



Scientific Software Technical Reviews (May 2-3, 2012)

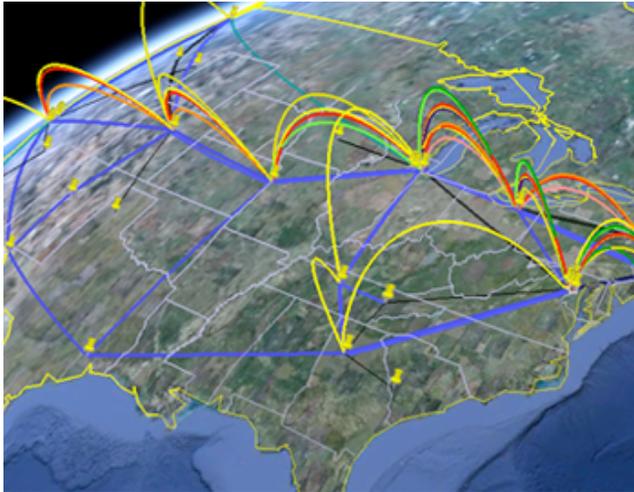




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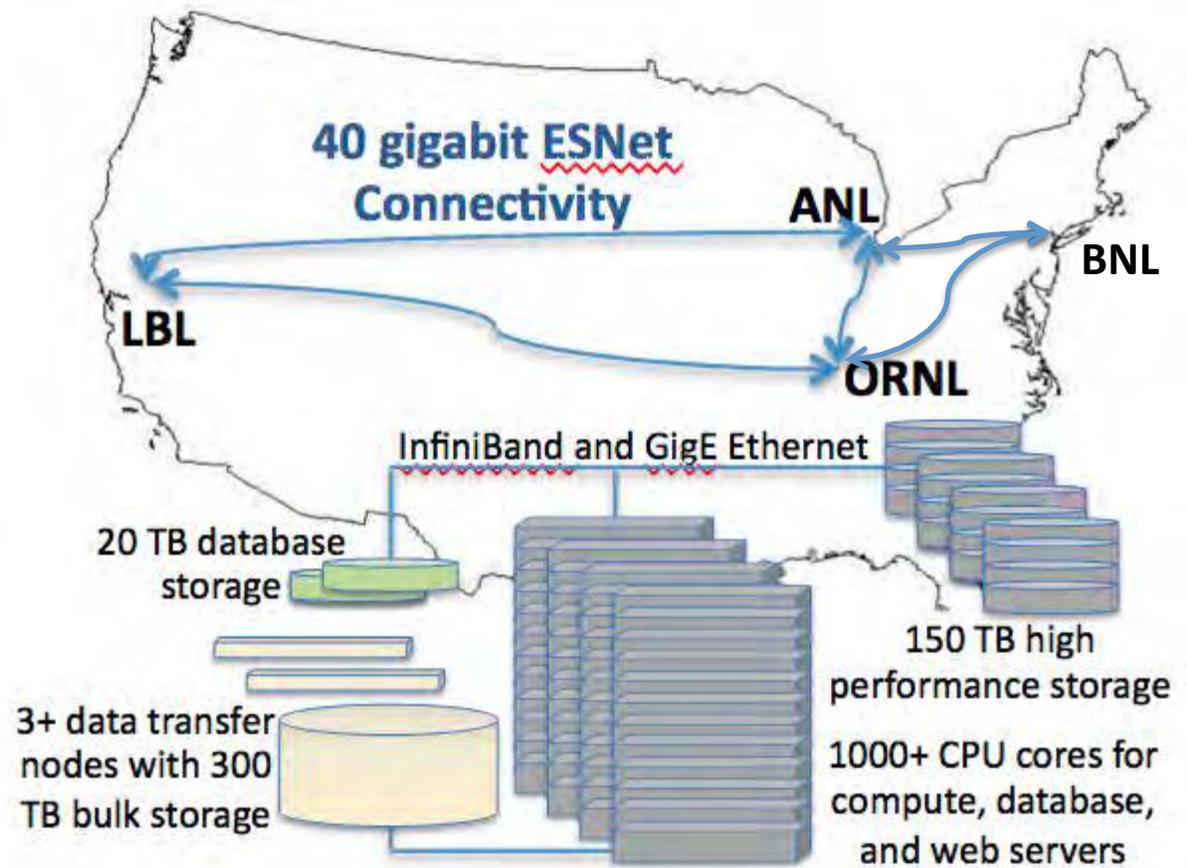
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Energy Sciences Network (ESnet)



KBbase leverages ESNet for 10+ Gb/s data transfer between all nodes

- ESnet backbone (ESnet4) is a national 10 Gbps optical circuit infrastructure
- ESnet shares its optical network with [Internet2](#)
- ESnet's IP network functions as a Tier 1 internet service provider



Built on the DOE ASCR investment in the Magellan cloud infrastructure

- Open Stack Cloud @ Argonne
- Open Stack Cloud @ Oak Ridge
- Cluster system @ Berkeley
- Cluster system @ Brookhaven

Current configuration of 700 nodes homed at ANL optimized for heterogeneous applications

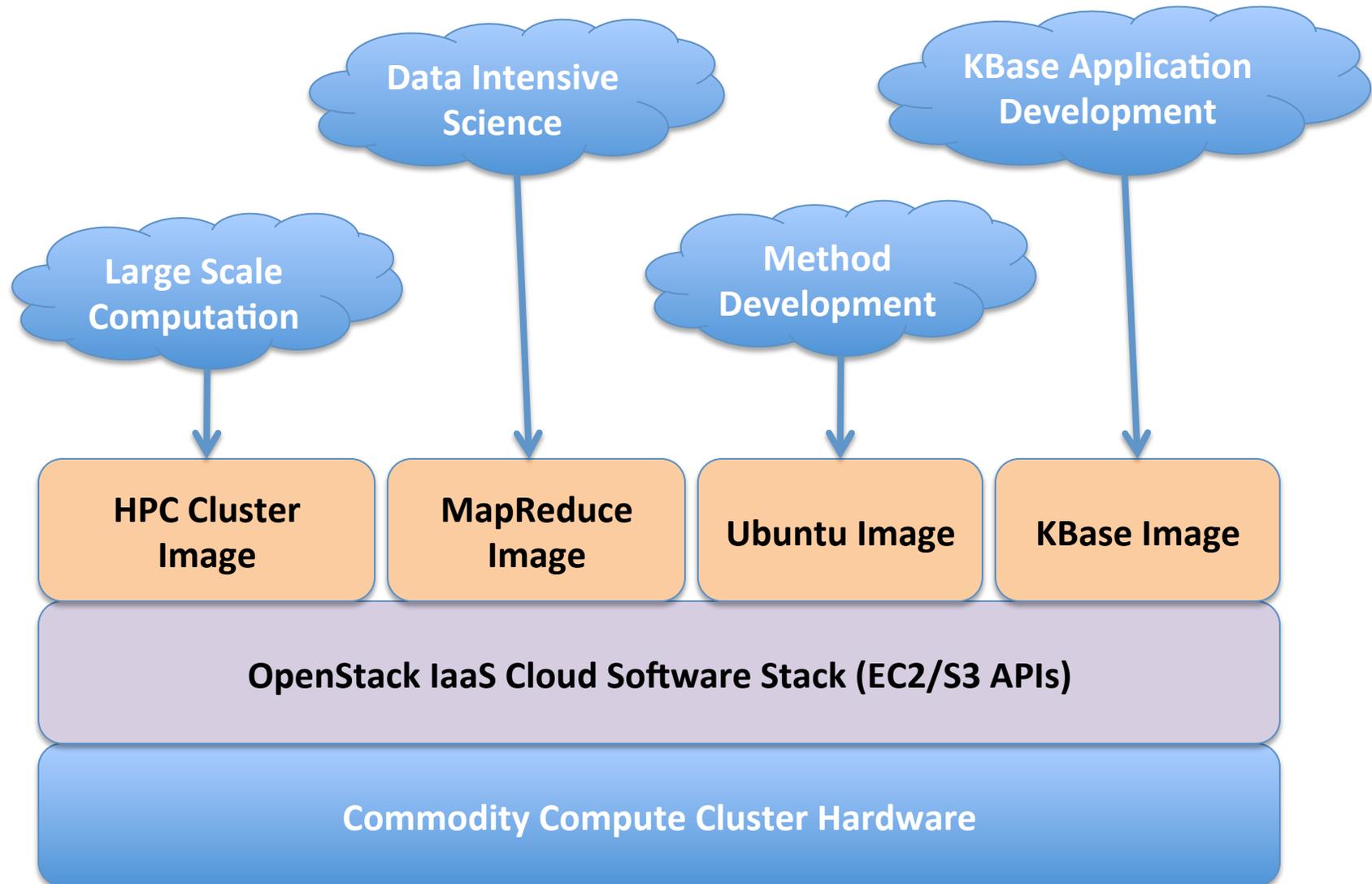




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The Kbase Cloud Architecture





Services Oriented Architecture: The KBase Unified API access to a highly diverse set of services ranging from quick retrieval of simple data to massive computations on the KBase Cloud.

- In a SOA the system is functionally decomposed into many services each of which is implemented as one or more servers.
- Our long-term goal includes community developed and contributed services. Our initial set of services will be backed by the following example servers:

*Genomic
Servers*

*Protein Family
Servers*

*Phenotype
Servers*

*Polymorphism
Servers*

*Compound and
Reaction Data
Servers*

*Metabolic
Modeling
Servers*

*Expression Data
Servers*

*Regulatory
Models Servers*



Concept: KBase User Experience



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Log Off

12 narratives/10 hypotheses
2 genomes
1 metagenome
1 model
183 data uploads

New narrative New team

Team management

- Metal reduction project
- Chemotaxis project

Data management upload

Narrative management

- Chemotaxis Study

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script publish

user entered search / Data sets added

Sensory_genes: [gs_aeb123456](#)

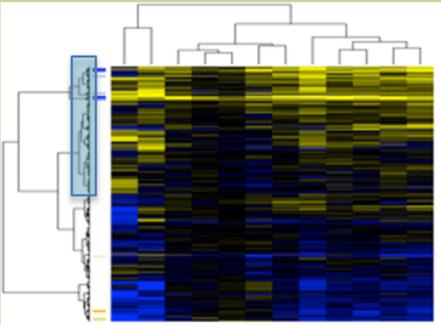
Flagellar_genes: [gs_aeb123457](#)

[in4] 9:12:12am 11/16/2011
(* Bobtheguy says I missed one. I have looked and by eye I agree *)
Add(Sensory_genes, [gi0123421](#))->Sensory_genes

[in5] 10:00:28pm 11/16/2011
I need to figure out in which conditions these genes are expressed. First I am going to aggregate my two sets of genes (I separate them for differential analysis later, then query for all gene expression data concerning them. Hmm... what's that function again?

[in6] 10:04:17pm 11/16/2011
Merge(Sensory_genes,Flagellar_genes)->GetExpress(geneids::stdin)->Add(Expression_data, stdin)

[in7] 10:27:43pm 11/16/2011
ClusterMe(Expression_data)->PickCluster()



-> ●-> Add(High_Expression, stdin)

data function

search

C: ClusterMe Clustering

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Processing



Development Schedule

A series of system builds occurring every quarter will enable a graded process. Successive builds will expand community involvement.

Feb 2012 – Development release (internal target)

- debug release engineering, prototype deployments, initial data models and data loads, non-unified API, performance testing, architecture refinement

May 2012 – Alpha release (internal target, invited testing)

- draft tutorials, v0.0 database loads, draft API (performance and ubiquity unified prototypes), draft UI library, domain workflow drafts, cloud and cluster services

Aug 2012 – Beta Release (early adopter beta testing)

- workflow function complete, API refinement, v1.0 database loads, prototype plug-in interfaces, prototype galaxy support, performance debugging

Nov 2012 – Production Release Candidate (public beta testing)

- draft website, draft documentation, full functionality API, draft UI v1.0, database loads v2.0, significant number of external beta test users

Feb 2013 – KBase Production Release

- public website, unified API, initial production UI, database loads v3.0 (microbes, community, plant databases), production demonstration workflows, and replication

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